

Resolution

WHEREAS, on or about April 9, 2026, the Oakland Board of Education notified the parents of students whose name is on file in the Superintendent's office (the "Students") that the Board intended to conduct a disenrollment hearing, based on the fact that the that the Students are not domiciled in Oakland and therefore are not entitled to tuition-free public education from the Oakland Board of Education, and further notified the parents that they were entitled to request a hearing before the Board; and

WHEREAS, the parents of the Students appeared at the hearing held this morning, and presented evidence and/or argument in support of their claim that the Students are entitled to a tuition-free public education from the Board; and

WHEREAS, the Board considered the evidence presented by the parents and the administration; and

WHEREAS, the Board has determined that the Students' parents have met their burden and have established the existence of a family crisis under N.J.S.A. 18A:38-1.1 which caused the Students to move out of Oakland, meaning they can remain enrolled tuition-free for the remainder of the 2025-2026 school year.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Board determines that the Students are not domiciled in Oakland but moved from Oakland due to a family crisis.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that because the Students are no longer domiciled in Oakland and N.J.S.A. 18A:38-1.1 only permits continued tuition-free attendance for the school year in which the family crisis occurred, the Students shall be disenrolled effective the end of the 2025-2026 school year unless the Students' parents provide satisfactory evidence demonstrating the Students are domiciled in Oakland.